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For: Method of Isomorphic Singular  
Manifold Projection Still/Video  
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**Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the Office Action, mailed September 11, 2002. Claims 5-13, 32-49, and 56 stand rejected. Careful consideration has been given to the grounds for rejection, and the following amendment and discussion are offered in response. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.